



Merrimack Parks & Recreation

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LIFEGUARD EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES PART TIME & SUBSTITUTE SUMMER 2015

The Town of Merrimack Parks & Recreation Department is currently seeking to hire Part Time & Substitute Lifeguards for the Summer 2015 Season.

JOB SUMMARY:

Lifeguards are responsible for safely managing the waterfront environment of the Summer Day Camp Program swim area as well as the Town Beach on Lake Naticook.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED:

Position works under the Direction of the Waterfront Director and/or Assistant Waterfront Director

EXAMPLE OF DUTIES:

- Keep Waterfront Area clean and safe at all times
- Patrols swimming areas and monitors swimmers
- Performs rescue maneuvers, CPR, and First Aid as necessary.
- Transmits requests for emergency assistance when needed.
- Ensures that maximum safety precautions are practiced and rules and regulations are followed by all beach patrons.
- Communicate effectively to enforce safety regulations
- Must have considerable ability as a swimmer.
- Assumes responsibility for care of all equipment and supplies used in daily operations.
- Oversees that storage area is regularly kept clean, stocked, and organized.
- Reports to Waterfront Director when supplies are low or equipment is damaged.
- Performs related duties and on-the-job-training as specified by the Waterfront Director or as the situation dictates.
- Other duties may be assigned as required

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES

- Ability to relate to one's peer group
- Ability to accept guidance and supervision
- Good character, integrity and adaptability
- Enthusiasm, sense of humor, patience and self-control
- Ability to communicate and train staff and campers in safety regulations and emergency procedures
- Physical ability to respond appropriately to situations requiring first aid

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED:

- College student or at least 16 years of age
- Current Certifications must include:
 - CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer or equivalent
 - Lifeguard / Waterfront First Aid
 - Lifeguard Certification from a nationally recognized program

HOURS:

Weekday shifts are 9:00 am – 5:00 pm. Weekend shifts are 10:00 am – 6:00 pm.

RATE OF PAY:

\$8.50 per hour

HOW TO APPLY:

Interested individuals should complete a Town of Merrimack Job Application and submit it along with a copy of their Lifeguard certification cards to: **Town of Merrimack, Human Resources, 6 Baboosic Lake Road, Merrimack, NH 03054**. Application can be found online by going to www.merrimacknh.gov/positionopenings or by stopping by Merrimack Town Hall. For questions, please contact Parks & Recreation Director Matt Casparius at 603-882-1046 or by sending an email to: mcasparius@merrimacknh.gov